

**French Elections Set for Within Two Weeks**

PARIS, Jan. 6.—January 17 was fixed as the date for the election of a president of the French republic by the French cabinet today.

**HOME TREATMENT FOR BAD COLDS**

A Method Which Promises Relief In a Single Night

Colds probably cause more trouble than any other single ailment. They also probably lead to more serious forms of disease than any other common complaint to which human beings are subject.

The secret in overcoming a cold is getting at it in its early stages. Here home treatment is effective, whereas if it is allowed to develop so that the bronchial tubes or lungs are affected, it is advisable to summon medical aid.

For home treatment of colds and grippe there is no remedy equaling Grip Fix for prompt results. It is a compound of Quinine, Salol, Caffein, Citrate Cascara, and Camphor Monobromate. This treatment for colds is universally advised by physicians as not only a quick, active remedy, leaving no after effects to be overcome. The action keeps the system open, checks the fever, allays the pain and tones up every part of the system.

If Grip Fix is taken according to directions—two capsules every 2 hours for 6 hours and one capsule thereafter, the sufferer will be well from even a bad cold in a night, while 48 hours is usually sufficient for Grippe. When buying it be sure to get Grip Fix, the only real ingredients noted on the box, as there is no substitute which approaches it. On sale at 35 cents per box at all druggists.—Advertisement.

**CHEW**

With False Teeth? SURE

**Dr. Wernet's Powder**

Keeps them firm. Prevents sore gums. White. Flavored. Antiseptic.

If your dental plate is loose or drops, to get instant relief use Dr. Wernet's Powder regularly. You can eat, laugh, talk with ease. Guaranteed by Wernet Dental Mfg. Co., 116 Beckman St., N.Y. 25c, 50c, & \$1.00. At Drug and Department Stores. Refuse imitations. This is the original powder. For sale by The Owl Drug Co.

**TRESTLE GLEN IS URGED FOR OAKLAND PARK**

Purchase of Trestle Glen for a city park is to be urged before the city council next Friday morning by a delegation of citizens headed by a special committee of the city interests committee of the Chamber of Commerce, it was announced this morning.

This action was decided on last night at a meeting of the City Interests Committee with representatives of improvement clubs, women's clubs and other civic organizations in the offices of the Chamber of Commerce. COUNCIL IS FAVORABLE

Commissioner Morse, giving it as his opinion that the city council will be in favor of the purchase now and merely wanted an expression of opinion from the people, suggested that the acquisition of Trestle Glen would be made through an "installment option" the money to come in monthly by heavy mailing for a bond issue would be dangerous delay, he said, as the opportunity to buy might pass away.

City Attorney Hagan, in reply to suggestions from A. S. Lavenson and Dr. Herrick, said he could see no legal bar to entering into a contract for bar to obtain an "option installment" and then in the future taking up the rest of the indebtedness through a bond issue.

Mrs. Seeley reported that the Park Boulevard Improvement Club already was on record in favor of buying Trestle Glen and Mrs. Law said the proposal would be reported to the Civic Center at its meeting next Friday.

The committee to appear before the city council was then appointed, after the meeting had urged quick action.

**Marietta A. Joseph's Memory Paid Tribute**

Tributes are being offered to the memory of Mrs. Marietta A. Joseph, pioneer of Golden Gate District, who died last week. Mrs. Joseph for a quarter of a century was an active member of the Golden Gate Baptist church. She was known widely for her philanthropic and kindly deeds. She was the widow of the late W. P. Joseph.

Besides her daughter, Miss Hulda E. Joseph, Mrs. Joseph is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Calle Romer and Mrs. Helen Lummis. She was born in Maine 64 years ago.

Funeral services were held from the Golden Gate Baptist church. That is the practical, hard, dollars.

**Everything in Shoes****Philadelphia Shoe Co.**

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**GREETERS NAMED BY CLUBWOMEN**

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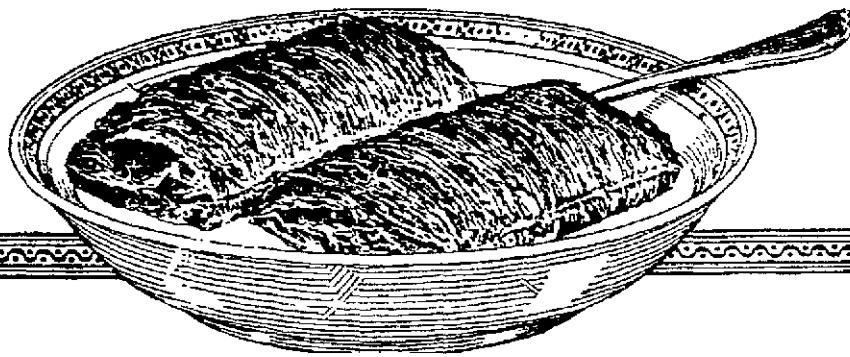
ESTATE DEPUTIES NAMED  
SACRAMENTO, Jan. 6.—R. L. Riley, estate commissioner, yesterday announced appointment of John M. Dean of San Francisco, and E. Bates, Los Angeles, as his deputies in San Francisco and Los Angeles respectively. The salary of deputies is \$2,000 a year.

GREGORY, N. Y. ATTORNEY  
NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Thomas W. Gregory, who resigned as attorney general of the United States last February, yesterday was admitted to the bar of the state of New York, Calif., where he had intended to go in the hope of benefiting his health. He was 62 years old.

OREGON EX-JUDGE DIES  
LAKEVIEW, Ore., Jan. 6.—Dr. Bernard Daly, former circuit judge for Lake County and prior to that a state senator, died yesterday while en route from here to Livermore, Calif., where he had intended to go in the hope of benefiting his health. He was 62 years old.

## READY FOR THE "FLU" GERM?

You need not fear him if you keep the blood clean and the bodily functions active and efficient by eating a food that gives "high resistance." **Shredded Wheat Biscuit** gives high resistance against disease germs because it is so rich in blood-making, tissue-building material and is so easily digested. The most real food for the least money. Two Biscuits with hot milk (or hot water) make a nourishing meal for a few cents.



## FIGHT PLANNED FOR VON BRINCKEN

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 6.—Willhelm von Brincken, former lieutenant in the German army and attaché of the German consulate general in this city, will be free and walking on the streets of San Francisco after completion of his prison sentence on the 16th of this month, according to his attorney, Henry M. Owens, who is prepared to fight the German deportation proceedings against Von Brincken.

A \$1000 bond is on file as bail when he is arrested on a warrant now held by Alexander Fulton, immigration inspector at Tacoma, Wash. Owen says. This warrant was issued October 16, 1918, by James W. Abercrombie, acting Secretary of Labor and charges violation of the immigration act of February 5, 1917, which specifies alienation "things to the fact that he has been convicted and served a prison sentence more than once during his stay in the United States."

Attorney Owens has a brief of 207 pages to fight the deportation proceedings in which he attempts to establish that Von Brincken was a "gentleman flunkie" for Franz Lipp and Baron von Schaeck while here and that with the violation of the neutrality law of which he was convicted "at no time did he act on his own volition."

### Body of Teacher Is Held for Examination

ROSEBURG, Ore., Jan. 6.—The body of Miss Edith L. Pitts, 23 years of age, school teacher, died yesterday at Orchard Valley, yesterday was brought here today for inquest. Miss Pitts was a school teacher at Orchard Valley. Her home is in Seattle. The authorities believe Miss Pitts took her own life, as a pistol was found beside the body, a bullet having penetrated her heart.

## EFFICIENCY MAN EXPLAINS PRICES

Every merchant must fix his own prices and not be governed by what his competitor is doing, according to Paul Findlay, efficiency expert for the Sunquist Orange Growers' Association, who gave a talk at the annual banquet of the Retail Grocers' Association of Alameda county in the Pacific building, Sixteenth and Jefferson streets, last night.

The speaker told of the necessity of quick overhauls of stock if the grocer is to do a highly profitable business and advised against buying on speculation as a general proposition.

Findlay used blackboard to illustrate his points and presented figures which he contended showed that most goodly informed business men are well-learned money and do not know just why. He maintained that the generally accepted method of teaching profit figuring is entirely wrong and that often when a man thinks he is making money, he is really losing.

To succeed in the grocery business as in any other business, the merchant must specialize, said Findlay. He said that each dealer must work out his own system and that system must be on a sound business basis.

Findlay explained the difference between margin and profits and said the two are often confused. "Don't figure so much on what you buy," said the speaker; "it is what you sell that counts. That may be a wide margin and yet no profit at all."

The speaker answered numerous questions asked by the eighty or more grocers present. He was given a rising vote of thanks for his efforts to aid the grocers in solving some of their problems.

R. H. Ingram, formerly of the grocery firm of Feiling & Ingram, in San Francisco, but now of New York City, spoke briefly concerning the grocery business in the East and the general prospects for 1920.

## LEGION HALTS OPPOSITION TO GERMAN MUSIC

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 6.—Members of the American Legion are instructed not to oppose German opera and Hungarian music where the spirit, language and performance are truly American and where no attempt is made to arouse pro-German feeling" in a Bulletin issued by the state department of the legion and made public by Frank d'Olier, national commander.

The bulletin reiterates that it is necessary that the American Legion take a firm stand for Americanism and against every form of radicalism and propaganda aimed at "our fundamental institutions," but cautions that all posts are, at the same time, bound to maintain law and order.

Lena Merville, *Aged Actress, Passes Away*

YONKERS, N. Y., Jan. 6.—Miss Lena Elmore, who started her stage career with Joseph Jefferson in "Rip Van Winkle," when she was 5 years old, died yesterday. Miss Elmore was known on the stage as Lena Merville. She was 83 years old.

## You May Find It In Stocking

Cincinnati authority says your troublesome corns just loosen and fall off

Sore corns, hard corns, soft corns in their sockets and fall off the next day if you will apply directly upon the sore few drops of a special *freezeon*, says a Cincinnati authority.

You merely put a drop or two of this *freezeon* on the tender, touchy corn today and instantly the corn stops hurting, then tomorrow some time you may find the old torturous pest somewhere in your stocking, having fallen off entirely without a patch of soreness, and an irritation. This little compound can be beneath the former corn will be as healthy, pink and smooth as the palm of your hand.

A quarter ounce of *freezeon* is sufficient to rid one's feet of every corn and callus, and any druggist will charge but a few cents for it. It is a compound made from ether. —Advertisement.

## ECZEMA IS ONLY SKIN DEEP

And we honestly believe that *Cranolene*, the great external remedy, will cure any case of Eczema or other skin disease. Come in and let us tell you about it. Use one jar of *Cranolene* Ointment, if dissatisfied with results, another will be refunded. In jars, 35c, \$1.

Drug Department at Kahn's, Oakland, Calif. Samples Free. Add. *Cranolene*, Girard, Kas.

## No Trouble to Remove Superfluous Hair

(Toilet Tips)  
It is an easy matter to rid the skin of objectionable hair or fuzz, if you proceed as follows: Mix a paste with some water and a little powdered detergent, apply to hair, squeeze out or 3 minutes run off, wash the skin and the hairs are gone. This method of banishing hairy growths is painless and does not mar the skin, but to avoid disappointment, be certain to get real *detolene*.—Advertisement.

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13th and Washington, Oakland.

Wednesday will continue the Great Bargain showings at our

## January Clearance Sales

### Splendid 4th Floor Specials

LONG KIMONAS—Long flannel-like kimonas, empire and elastic belted styles. Wide range of color combinations. Neatly trimmed. Sizes to 44. \$1.87

SHORT FLANNELETTE KIMONAS—Pretty color combinations. Very effectively made with semi-elastic gathered backs and belted fronts. All sizes ..... \$1.10

HOUSE DRESSES—Regulation house dresses. Light or dark shades. Belted styles with round collars and pockets. Sizes 34 to 44 ..... \$1.39

SWEATERS FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN—Merino and wool. Broken assortment of extra wood values. Including all sizes and many styles. Some cord gathered backs and belts. Others slip-over styles. \$3.95

OTTER SWEATERS—Many worth almost double. Belted, shirred backs, styles with sashes. Button front styles with pockets. All good colors. Silk finished fibers and all-wool styles ..... \$5.59

HIGHER GRADE SWEATERS—Includes 50 different styles. A large assortment. Every size included in the lot. Smart novelties with angora trimmings. Priced special at ..... \$8.95

SILK PETTICOATS—All taffeta and Jersey top petticoats. Pretty flounces. Every wanted color. Choices of taffeta or messaline flounces. Each ..... \$5.95

VOILE WAISTS—Pretty styles. Low or high waists. All size 34 with colored collars. Some button shoulder, collar-less styles. All sizes to 44 ..... 95c

MORE WAISTS—Colors and white. Numerous styles, including smock effects of striped and solid colors. Necks made round, V style, square and with collars. Sizes 34 to 44 at ..... \$1.89

SILK WAISTS—Choice of Crepe de Chine or Georgette crepe silk with round, square or V necks. Many with various collar styles. Colors and white at ..... \$3.69

BETTER SILK WAISTS—An unusual bargain in beautiful Crepe de Chine and Georgette crepe. Beaded, embroidered, stitched and tucked. All colors and white and black. Every size to 44 ..... \$5.69

### Bedding and Blankets

in the busy  
Downstairs Salesroom

WOOL FINISHED BLANKETS—72x84. Good weight. Extra large size. White, Bound with pink or blue borders. For clearance ..... \$4.75

66x80 WOOL FINISHED BLANKETS—Big double bed size. Good weight. In gray or white with blue or pink borders. Clearance price ..... \$4.25

81x89 SEAMLESS SHEETS—Bleached. Large size. Excellent quality. \$1.00  
A splendid Clearance value at ..... \$1.00

45x60 VALERIA CASES—A good quality muslin fully bleached pillow case a low Clearance price of ..... 39c

42x26 BLOSSOM PILLOW CASES—Good weight cases of bleached muslin. A wonderful Clearance sale value at ..... 33 1/2c

DOUBLE BED SPREADS—A fine, big double bed spread at less than the price of a sheet. Crochet styles. Marseilles patterns. Only 119 of these at ..... \$1.95

72x90 FIGARO SHEETS—Bleached sheets of good quality muslin. A remarkable value. For the Clearance sale at ..... \$1.59

YARD-WIDE CAMBRIC MUSLIN—Cambric finished muslin, bleached and full yard wide. Clearance sale price, yard ..... 27c

3-POUND COTTON BATS—Big double bed comforter size Cotton Bats, full 3-pound weight. Clearance price ..... \$1.00

### Wash Dress Materials

Downstairs Salesroom  
Bargains

YARD-WIDE SATEEN—Mercerized black sateen, full yard wide. Clearance price, the yard ..... 45c

SOFT NAINSOOK, PER BOYD—A 6-yard bolt of fine, white nainsook in a soft finish. For the 6-yard bolt ..... \$1.62

YARD-WIDE PERCALES—Splendid assortment of patterns. Light or dark colors. Stripes, plaids, checks and dots. The yard ..... 38c

ROMPER CLOTH—32 inches wide. Fast color cloth. Many attractive patterns at the yard ..... 39c

PONGEES—Yard wide. Natural color cotton and silk mixed pongees. Special, the yard ..... 42c

10-YARD BOYD LONG CLOTH—Soft English long cloth. Width 26 inches. For the 10-yard bolt ..... \$2.95

FINE DRESS GINGHAM—From the best of our gingham stocks. 27 inches wide in plaids, stripes and checks. For the Clearance, the yard ..... 27c

CHECKED APRON GINGHAM—Good apron weight in several size checks 27 inches wide. For the Clearance sale, per yard ..... 19c

PLAID DRESS GOODS—Yard wide, wool finished in Shepherd checks and Scotch plaids. A good assortment at the yard ..... 43c

BETTER PLAID PRESS GOODS—Also solid colors. Yard wide serges in all plain shades, and a good selection of heavy plaid suiting. All at, the yard ..... 78c

### Silks and Dress Goods

CHIFFON CLOTH AND MARCHIQUETTES—40-inch in a good firm weave. Navy, plum, mavis, old rose, golden brown, tan and gray. Clearance price, the yard ..... 98c

CREPES—Silk printed. Attractive patterns. Rich colors. 98c

YARD-WIDE TISSUE—98c in old rose, athen, tan, gray, light blue, reds, and novelty patterns and brocade. Splendid for kimonos and linings. \$1.00

FANCY SILKS—Yard wide. In Roman stripes, broken and irregular stripes, Pekin stripes, plaids, etc. Good quality and beautiful patterns. \$1.39

CHIFFON TAFFETA—Yard wide. Good silk only. That heavy good silk only. \$1.39

ALL-WOOL PLAIN VELOUR—56-inch. Extra fine quality and rich designs. Clearance price, the yard ..... \$4.95

SERGE—56 inches wide. A fine quality in navy and black. The yard ..... \$1.95

PLAID DE SOIE—Satin Duchesse, Moire and Bengaline. \$1.95

YARD-WIDE DRESS SATIN—A fine grade. Full yard wide. For the Clearance sale, the yard ..... \$1.85



## Victor supremacy is built on Victor originality

It is significant that every worth-while accomplishment in the talking-machine art, every improvement of value in talking-machine construction, is the result of Victor skill and progressiveness.

The Victor Company is not a mere manufacturer of talking-machines. It is a creative organization. It developed the talking-machine to its present high state of perfection, and the years of experience and millions of dollars spent in exhaustive research and experiment all have a direct bearing on the superiority of Victor products today.

The mammoth Victor plant is devoted exclusively to the manufacture of talking-machines and records, and it is the only plant in the entire talking-machine industry which makes every part of every instrument within its own walls.

No other manufacturer today is qualified to produce an instrument as good as the Victrola. If the instrument you buy is to be the *best*, it *must* be the Victrola.

There are Victrolas in great variety of styles from \$25 to \$950, and there are Victor dealers everywhere who will gladly play your favorite music for you. New Victor Records demonstrated at all dealers on the 1st of each month.

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29¢ box  
Envelopes to match, pkg., 12½¢

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### Sale of White Gloves

600 pairs Chamoisette  
Gloves 75¢ pair

Imported  
Lambkin Gloves \$2 pair  
—Newly arrived, perfect fitting, well-made chamoisette gloves of quality. Two-clasp style. Sizes 5½ to 8. Sale price, 75¢ pair.

—Snow white or with black stitching. Two-clasp style, perfect fitting pliable gloves of distinctive appearance. First quality imported glove lamb. Sale price, \$2.00 pair.



### Notions

—Bias Folds in various widths, 6-yard piece for 18¢  
—Lingerie tape, piece, 10¢  
—Pearl buttons, various sizes, card ..... 5¢ and 10¢

### Handkerchiefs

—Women's fine lawn handkerchiefs ..... 5¢  
—Women's satin striped handkerchiefs, 3 for ..... 25¢  
—Men's fine cambric handkerchiefs ..... 10¢  
—Sample line of embroidered handkerchiefs ..... 10¢

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# January White Sale

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Nainsook Petticoats \$1.00 to \$6.50  
—Serviceable white nainsook petticoats, with lace and embroidery flounce. Sale prices begin at \$1 and up to \$6.50.

Nainsook Gowns Lowered to \$1  
—Attractive gowns of serviceable nainsook, with embroidery-trimmed yokes or feather-stitched in pink or blue. Extra good value.

Nainsook Gowns at \$1.48  
—There are many pleasing styles in this assortment of sheer nainsook gowns, with lace and embroidery-trimmed yokes. Included are many of pink batiste.

Nainsook Gowns at \$1.98  
—These have beautifully trimmed yokes of Swiss embroidery and dainty Val lace. Some are in the sleeveless style.

Muslin  
Drawers 50¢ to \$2.50  
—Women's muslin drawers specially priced for the January White Sale at 50¢ to \$2.50.

Kahn's Economy Sales

SHEETS, BEDDING, DOMESTICS

81x90 Bed Sheets \$1.69

—Fifty dozen extra fine bed sheets—full bleached, soft finished quality. Made all in one piece without seams. Sale price \$1.69.

63x90 Sheets at \$1.59

—Full bleached, soft finished sheets for single beds. Made all in one piece without seams. Very serviceable. Special \$1.59.

72x90 Bed Sheets \$1.79

—Full bleached, ready-made seamies sheets for three-quarter beds. The good wearing kind. Sale price, \$1.79.

81x90 Bed Sheets \$1.89

—Heavy quality, full bleached, one-piece sheets without seams. Extra good value.

Bed Spreads at \$1.95

—Extra large size, good-wearing, heavy quality white honeycomb bed spreads, in neat, serviceable patterns. Specially priced at \$1.95.

Honeycomb Bed Spreads \$2.95

—Extra heavy snow white honeycomb bed spreads, with large raised patterns. Nicely finished and very serviceable. Sale price, \$2.95.

Satin Bed Spreads \$5.95

—Extra good quality satin bed spreads in the large size. Various pleasing patterns for your selection. Sale price, \$5.95.

Fine Marseilles Bed Spreads \$4.95

—High grade, fine satin Marseilles bed spreads in neat designs. Extra good wearing quality. Exceptional value at \$4.95.

Pillow Cases at 35¢

—One hundred dozen ready-made pillow cases in the 42x36-inch size. Fine, even-woven, long-wearing quality. Specially priced at 35¢.

Pillow Cases 29¢

—Full bleached, ready-made pillow cases in the 45x32-inch size. Very serviceable. Extreme value at 29¢ each.

White Madras Shirts \$1.89

—Men's shirts of plain or corded madras in the starched cuff style. Sizes 14 to 17. Very special value at \$1.89.

Muslin Nightgowns \$1.49

—Made in the V neck style with lace and Val lace trimmings. Sizes from 15 to 20. Extra good value.

Youths' Union Suits \$1.19

—Light weight Muslin-style union suits in the long or half sleeve style in knee or ankle length. Sizes for boys of 12 to 15 years.

Groceria Wednesday

ALPINE MILK, large tin ..... 14¢

—PORK AND BEANS, Van Camp, med. tin 16¢; small, 11¢

—QUEEN LILY SOAP, large, 2 bars ..... 23¢

—NOODLES, SPAGHETTI, etc., Golden Age, pkg. ..... 7¢

—MARSHMALLOW CREAM, Hypolite, jar ..... 27¢

—SLICED PINEAPPLE, Red Ribbon, large, 3 lbs ..... \$1

—SHREDDED WHEAT, 2 pkgs. ..... 25¢

Waists of Finest Voile \$3.45 to \$4.95

—Fine quality voile waists trimmed with touches of hand embroidery. Various pleasing, youthful styles for your selection. Sizes 26 to 44. Sale prices \$3.45, \$4.05 and \$4.95.

Voile Waists at \$1.95

—Smart voile waists in pleated and box-pleated styles with all-over embroidery effects; also lace-trimmed and tailored styles.

Voile Waists at \$1.19

—White voile waists with pretty striped and embroidered collars. Then there are others in plain white or striped or checked. Sizes 26 to 46.

Voile Waists at \$1.05

—Smart voile waists in pleated and box-pleated styles with all-over embroidery effects; also lace-trimmed and tailored styles.

THE JANUARY WHITE SALE adds a note of special interest to this

Baby Day--Wednesday

Hemming Free as Usual

Highly Finished DUSTPROOF SHELF PAPER in 10-yard rolls 11¢ roll.

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Let's make it a quarter of a million.  
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Now Going On -- It's Better, Larger and More Helpful Than Ever -- Our Greatest Sale of White

January White Sale

Dainty White Undermuslins

Are Conspicuously Repriced for This Event

Crepe Gowns \$1.48

—Slip-over styles in white or pink, some embroidered, others feather-stitched in blue. Cut and roomy. Just a limited quantity at this remarkable pricing.

Crepe Envelope Chemise \$1.50 to \$1.98

—Snow white envelope chemise of that knirky crepe material that stretches so well. Sizes 36 to 44 at \$1.50.

Crepe Underskirts \$1.35 to \$1.69

—White crepe underskirts with deep flounce of self-material. Specially priced at \$1.35 to \$1.69.

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—Just a limited quantity of these specially priced embroidered gowns with beautiful embroidery motif in vase and hand-scalloping around the neck and sleeves.

Under Muslins for Stout Women

—Included in this event are assortments of stout sizes in gowns, corset covers, chemises, camisoles and drawers. Extremely liberal underlinings on every garment.

Under Muslins in Extra Sizes

—SLIP-OVER GOWNS ..... \$1.75, \$1.95, \$2.25 and \$2.50

—CREPE GOWNS ..... \$2.50, \$2.75 and \$3.00

—ENVELOPE CHEMISES of muslin ..... \$1.75, \$1.95, \$2.25 to \$2.45

—CORSELET COVERS of muslin ..... \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.00 to \$6.50

—MUSLIN DRAWERS ..... \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00

Envelope Chemise \$1.48 to \$2.48

—These are of finest nainsook of freshly-trimmed various styles with lace, cut work, trimmings, etc. Sale price, \$1.48, \$1.95 and \$2.48.

Envelope Chemise 89¢, 98¢ and \$1.19

—Fine muslin envelope chemise, with lace, cut work, trimmings, etc. Sale price, \$1.48, \$1.95 and \$2.48.

Table Damask 50¢ yard

—Extra heavy quality table damask in mill lengths from 3 to 10 yards each. Sale price 50¢ yard.

Table Damask 69¢ yard

—Excellent quality damask with that full bleached, soft finish and neat patterns which make good looking table coverings.

Hemmed Napkins \$1.95 dozen

—Fine quality, hemmed napkins. Full bleached, soft finish with neat, serviceable patterns. Very special value at \$1.95 dozen.

Dinner Napkins \$2.95 dozen

—Extra good quality 22-inch dinner napkins in neat, attractive patterns. Extremely good value at \$2.95 dozen.

Table Cloths \$1.95

—Padded all around, soft finish, good wearing and neatly designed table cloths in the eight-quarter size. Sale price \$1.95.

Small Towels 5¢

—Small huck towels, full bleached and hemmed ready to use. Slightly imperfect. At this low price should buy with a thought to future use.

Hemmed Huck Towels 33½¢

—Full bleached and soft finished. Extra good quality.

Turkish Towels 29¢

—Full bleached, extra large Turkish towels of good heavy quality. Sale price 29¢.

Huck Towels 18¢

—Hemmed huck towels of various different qualities—mill seconds all grouped in one lot for this special event. Limit of two dozen to each customer.

Fine Longcloth \$1.89 pc.

—Fine quality, full bleached longcloth with the soft finish so desirable for women's and children's serviceable under-

wear. Ten yards to the piece at \$1.89.

Extra Fine Longcloth \$2.40 piece

—Extra good quality, full bleached longcloth in the 36-inch width. Very serviceable. Ten yards to the piece at \$2.40.

English Nainsook \$4.50 piece

—Extra fine quality snow white, even-threaded English nainsook from 16 to 36 inches wide.

Embroidery Flounces 25¢ yard

—Nainsook, Swiss and embroidery embroidery from 16 to 36 inches wide. Ten yards to the piece at \$1.50.

Wash Laces 5¢ yard

—Cotton, fine, long, lace and fancy cotton or linen finish lace from 1½ to 2 inches in width. Dainty, well-made, serviceable edges.

3600 yards Laces at 10¢ yard

—Cotton, lace, organdy, lace, etc., lace and lace lace in various well-made patterns, including the lace patterns for home sewing. Under-priced at 10¢ yard.

Shadow Laces 25¢ yard

—Nainsook shadow lace from 1½ to 2 inches wide, in a variety of new and pleasing patterns. Sale price, 25¢.

WOMEN'S ATTRACTIVE

Winter Suits at Clearance Repricings

Smart, youthful suits in the fascinating styles and colorings that have become so popular this season. Materials of serviceable serge, broadcloth, silvertone, velour and others. Sizes for all women.

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\$34.45 \$44.45 \$54.45

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Sports Plaid Skirts

—Smart separate skirts of noisy sports plaid material in various pleasing colors for combinations.

Some are in the box pleated or satin plaid effects.

Others are in the box pleated or satin plaid effects.

Waist price ..... \$7.95

Milgrim and Other High-Class Models

—Milgrim Tailleur and other high-class suit models now repriced at a saving of many dollars.

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# OAKLAND WILL FILE BRIEF IN WATER BATTLE

## 10,000 GALLONS OF CIDER GONE; TRAMPS BLAMED

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 6.—A tank car containing 10,000 gallons of apple cider when it left Watsonville, Cal., consigned to the Gil-Edge Packing Company here, arrived in Sacramento empty and railroad officials and packing company employees blamed tramps for its disappearance. Tramps opened spigots to get a drink and left the spigots open, it was said.

land. The cities of Berkeley, Alameda, Richmond and San Leandro, which are joined in the issue with the cities, will prepare separate cases, but will rest their cases in Gil-Edge's brief.

In the preparation of the case for the East Bay municipalities, the city attorneys of the other municipalities will co-operate with Gray in the East Bay. Assistant City Attorney Leon Gray of Oakland, who will file briefs will be in the same issue from San Francisco, which joined today, only one brief will be filed with the cities on this side of the bay and that will be prepared by Oakland at the last hour.

Following the action of the State Supreme Court yesterday in calling for a trial in the legal battle of the bay cities to overturn the decision of the State Railroad Commission granting a basic hydrant rate in the East Bay municipalities, the city attorneys of the other municipalities preparation of the brief to be filed by the East Bay cities was started today by Assistant City Attorney Leon Gray of Oakland. Another brief will be filed in the same issue from San Francisco, which joined today, only one brief will be filed with the cities on this side of the bay and that will be prepared by Oakland at the last hour.

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Hand-hammered bracelets as low as \$2.

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Unique Scarf-pins with bright stones—\$1.05. Engraved Cuff-links—\$2 per pair.

Silver link Necklaces with dainty semi-precious stone drops—\$2.25.

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## AUDITORIUM DECKED FOR AUTO SHOW

It is difficult to conceive the changes that are being wrought in the Civic Auditorium by the decorators who are preparing the vast hall for the Oakland Automobile Show, to be held there from January 19 to 25. According to Charles Francis Rosa, famous mural artist, who is supervising the work, when the artist have completely transformed the auditorium's interior.

### COLORS EMPLOYED

From the floor, which will be entirely covered with a soft green carpet, to the very ceiling, the auditorium is being changed into a bower of blooms and vivid color. Hung from the ceiling, which is also covered with highly decorative canopy, and extending to the balcony, will be eight huge murals.

The murals of these paintings are California, her fine roads, flowers and fruits.

The murals will conceal the balcony seats, while the balcony railing itself will be covered with a valance on which will be painted typical California fruits and flowers. Interwoven throughout the decorative scheme will be the California coat of arms.

The murals will be eight huge murals of the Sky Line boulevard.

"We want to present mass upon mass of color, yet keep it subdued enough to allow the cars to predominate. I have worked on many floral pageants and decorated a multitude of cafe and theater interiors, but this is going to be one of the most beautiful shows I have ever done."

The illuminative scheme is also very elaborate. At each booth or display will be a standard built of transparent walls and lighted from within. This will support a sign constructed similar to a drum of scroll shape, on which will appear the exhibitor's or car's name. This, too, will be transparent and illuminated internally.

## On the Political Field

Senator Hiram W. Johnson and his aides left today for the East, where they will wage a campaign "directly with the people," they said, for nomination of the California as standard-bearer of the Republican party in the fight for the presidency.

Accompanying the senator are Eustace Clegg and Sylvester McAtee of San Francisco, and Joseph Scott of Los Angeles. Washington, D. C., is their first destination.

Possible complexities of the "favorite son" situations in several States were discussed by Senator Johnson's supporters. The question of a Johnson campaign in such States as Illinois and Ohio, where favorite sons promise a strong bid for the nomination, was raised.

State Chairman Raymond P. Johnson said with regard to reports that General Leonard Wood and Governor Frank O. Lowden would try to capture the California delegation that he was certain Governor Lowden would not. A message from the governor himself making this assertion had been received, Raymond announced. He said he thought it "extremely" unlikely that General Wood intended to try for the California delegation.

Republican State chairmen and national committeemen from six States will assemble in San Francisco January 12 for a conference with Will H. Hays, chairman of the Republican national committee, it is announced. The conference will be held at the Palace Hotel and will last two days. On the evening of January 12 a banquet will be given at the hotel by the Republican state where he is working on a huge mural of the Sky Line boulevard.

The States to be represented are Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Nevada, Arizona and California. They form a regional conference.

Accompanying the national chairman will be Miss Mary Garrett Hay, chairman of the Republican women's national executive committee, Mrs. John G. South, chairman of the women's division of the Republican national committee, Mrs. Margaret Hill, McArthur of Kansas, Mrs. Josephine Corliss Preston of Washington, Mrs. Raymond Eobins of Illinois, Mrs. Florence Collins Porter of California, all members of the women's executive committee.

Demands of women for equal representation on the national committee of the party and a sentiment reflected in speeches of prominent party leaders to deal vigorously with the labor and industrial situation as one of the chief issues of the election campaign, were the principal developments of the conference which began yesterday.

Many of the women today regarded their demands for "a fair representation" in the party organization as virtually confirmed with the statement of Will H. Hays, chairman of the Republican national committee, that "the Republican party offers the women everything we offer the men."

### CONVENTION PLANS ARE PUT UNDER WAY

Plans for the next Republican convention in June also were launched and arrangements for the fitting of the Coliseum to allow a seating capacity of 13,187 were made.

Edward P. Thayer of Indianapolis was elected sergeant-at-arms for the gathering at a banquet last night given by the state central committee in honor of Chairman Hays and Mrs. John Glover South, chairman of the women's division of the national committee, the two candidates for the presidential nomination and Chairman Hays devoted their attention to industrial problems.

The gathering was attended by more than 1200 Republican men and women.

Major General Leonard Wood, assailing anarchism, declared "the biggest problem of the day is maintenance of law and order, respect for constituted authority and maintenance of a government under the constitution."

"As for the Reds," General Wood said, "let's stand them out. They grow in communities where government is timid and slack. Ninety per cent of American labor is on the square," he said, urging American leadership for labor.

Governor Frank O. Lowden of Illinois urged women to aid in bringing about a more healthful industrial situation. "If every man and woman took the same interest in political matters as in their personal affairs, most of our ills would disappear," he asserted.

In the war on radicalism, he said, "there was no more potent argument than home ownership."

Governor Lowden made public a letter to Senator Borah of Idaho in which he urged ratification of the covenant of the league of nations with such reservations as already adopted by the Senate.

The firing squad was recommended by Chairman Hays as the means for dealing with anarchists. He

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## Hair and Scalp Ailment Solved By Science

A Hair Specialist Is of as Much Importance as Your Doctor or Dentist!

Prof. John H. Austin, well-known dermatologist, hair and scalp specialist of Chicago, says that it is important to cure dandruff, falling hair, scalp troubles with the ordinary dandruff cures, mange cures, salicylates or vaseline—in fact, it is just like taking medicine without knowing what you are trying to cure. The hair specialist can tell you what are over sixty conditions of the hair and scalp that all require different treatments. Gout, rheumatism, it is easy to imagine that a special

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WHISK BROOMS, 35c value at ..... 19¢

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"COLGATE" CASHMERE BOUQUET SOAP, 10c value at 3 for ..... 25¢  
CUTICURA SOAP, 25c value at ..... 21¢  
RESINOL SOAP, 25c value at ..... 21¢

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## Drug Department

"JERCEN'S" VIOLET GLYCERINE SOAP, 10c value at 4 for ..... 25¢  
JAVA RICE FACE POWDER, 50c value at ..... 33¢

"HUDNUT'S MARVELOUS" COLD CREAM, 50c value at ..... 39¢  
"COLGATE'S" TALCUM POWDERS. Assorted odors; 18c value, 2 for ..... 25¢

# ESTIMATE THE SAVINGS WE AFFORD YOU FROM DAY TO DAY

Study this Advertisement tonight. It will save you money tomorrow. The items listed below tell their own story. As wonderful as the story is, it's only a small chapter in the big book of values we open for you to read in these big anniversary and white sales. It's a story of tremendous stocks of good, clean, staple merchandise that we CAN and DO sell cheaper than any other store in Oakland. We guarantee everything by our cheerful money-back policy.

## WOMEN'S FURNISHINGS

SALE OF WOMEN'S GOWNS, made of pink batiste of fine soft nainsook, slip-over style with yokes of embroidery or colored stitching, all cut full size and long, \$1.25 and \$1.39 value to ..... 95¢ go at, each

WOMEN'S ENVELOPE CHEMISE, beautiful garments made of soft nainsook with fancy lace and embroidery yokes, ribbon trimmed. Less than wholesale ..... 95¢ cost, each

WOMEN'S WINDSOR CREPE BLOOMERS, cut full size and long, made with elastic waist and knee band. wonderful value. Special at, each ..... 95¢ Wednesday at, pair

BEAUTIFUL SILK CAMISOLES, made of good quality wash satin, pink only with fancy lace yokes. Our special \$1.25 value at, each ..... 95¢

CHILDREN'S WHITE COTTON UNION SUITS, medium weight, fleece lined, high neck, long sleeves, ankle length, all sizes 2 to 14 years. Wonderful \$1.00 value at, each ..... 1.00

EXTRA SPECIAL! WOMEN'S SATEEN PETTICOATS, all black or black with fancy flowered flounces, all have elastic-fitted waist band; \$1.45 value at, each ..... 1.00

## LACES

SALE OF NEW WASH LACES—For the spring sewing, for underwear, fancy work, curtains and children's garments.

EDGES AND INSERTIONS of fine filet, Normandy, Cluny and imitation crochet laces. The filet is white and cream—worth 25c and 30c per yard— 19¢ to go at, yard

LACE, EDGES AND INSERTIONS IN IMITATION CROCHET LACE—White only. Good strong lace. Fine and heavier quality—to go at, only, 10c yard

NORMANDY VALENCIENNES LACES, EDGES AND INSERTIONS. Excellent for underwear— 10c yard

VALENCIENNES LACE IN EDGES AND INSERTIONS, 12-yard pieces at, 45¢ piece

CLUNY LACES—Mercerized finish. Good quality. White and cream. Special at, yard, 25¢ and 35¢

CLUNY LACES—Firm quality. Special at, yard

VERY SPECIAL LOT OF FINE TORCHON LACE EDGES—White only. 5c yard

HEAVY FILET LACE EDGES—White only. 5c yard

LACE INSERTIONS, in torchon and cluny lace, yard

SHADOW LACE FLOUNCING, 22 inches wide. White or cream. Special at, yard

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HEMSTITCHED PILLOW CASES, good durable quality, 39c

MARQUISSETTE CURTAINS, \$1.00 value at half price, pair

HONEYCOMB SPREADS, good weight, Marseilles patterns, double bed size. Underpriced at, each

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SEAMLESS AXMINSTER RUGS, 9x12 feet. In a pretty line of patterns; \$7.00 value at

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There are about 5000 pieces of Stamped Goods, including Gowns, Dresses, Towels, Pillow Tops, Scarfs, Centerpieces, Combing Jackets, Pillow Tubing, etc., etc. The lot is divided into the following special low prices for quick selling:

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CHILDREN'S HOSE—Medium weight cotton. Reinforced foot and elastic leg. Fast black. Sizes 5 to 9½. All are perfect; a regular 35c value. Special 25¢

WOMEN'S HOSE—Pure thread silk. Reinforced sole, heel and toe, and elastic lisle garter top. Black, cordovan, gray, brown, field mouse and champagne. Sizes 8½ to 10. Special at, pair

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# BUSINESS TAX ORDINANCE TO BE DISSECTED

Adoption of the proposed new business license ordinance requiring a revenue from all forms of business and occupations was indefinitely delayed by the City Council this morning. At the suggestion of Commissioner William J. Baccus the ordinance was laid on the table and arrangements made for discussion of the various sections each day by members of the council after the regular session.

**MEMPHIS TAXES**

James M. Davis, who was not present to vote on the measure and wanted more time to go over it, His statement was followed by the suggestion from Commissioner Soderberg that the commissioners confer with members of the committee that drafted the ordinance before final action is taken. Soderberg announced that he is opposed to a license for revenue only.

Declaring that he had been told

that the original ordinance had been altered so that some businesses were exempted and other new ones included in the measure, Secretary Wilbur Walker of the Merchants' Exchange, which has consistently opposed the ordinance, asked for a statement of the changes made in the original measure.

**PROTESTS MAINTAINED**

In reply Clark L. W. Cummings, one of the committee named to hear complaints and requests for revisions, declared that as a result of the meetings held with protestants, many changes had been made in the ordinance to conform with complaints and suggestions by various business interests. Cummings further notified the council that there had been little opposition from business men who understood the ordinance, but that the Merchants' Exchange and automobile dealers still maintained their protests.

Discussion of what disposition should be made of the measure resulted in no vote being taken and the final adoption of the suggestion of Commissioner Baccus that the measure be gone over section by section at conferences of the council members each morning. The first session will be held tomorrow morning after the regular council meeting.

## 'AD' CLUB TAKES IN NEW MEMBERS

Twenty Christmas members were formally received by the Oakland Advertising Club at luncheon in the Hotel Oakland today. Irving Kann, in a brief speech, welcomed the new members on behalf of the club.

A. Warner of the San Francisco-Oakland Terminal Railway gave a "Glad Word." In response, complimenting the club on the work it has accomplished, and assured the members that those who have just identified themselves with the movement will do everything they can to promote the best interests of the club.

George A. Hughes reviewed the accomplishments of the club during 1919 and with just a few details that impressed the members more fully with just what was done by the advertisers during last year.

Miss Moran Sullivan, the club's new assistant secretary, presented a little study entitled "Crystal Gazing into the Future," and received applause.

Classic selections were rendered by Christian B. Holm, Miss Louise Holton acting as accompanist.

## Jugo-Slavs Will Convene in Oakland

Jugo-Slavs from all over California will convene at the Oakland Municipal Auditorium next Sunday afternoon to celebrate the tenth anniversary of the Croatian Sokol and voice a protest against foreign aggressions upon their native soil.

## REPORT FILED ON HEALTH INQUIRY

Concluding an investigation of more than nine months, the report of the State Board of Health on an exhaustive survey of official and private health activities in this city and municipal activities having to do with public health was filed with Mayor John L. Durell this morning by Secretary W. H. Kellogg of the state organization.

The report was called for in a resolution adopted by the City Council on April 5, 1919, following the suggestion of Commissioner of Public Health and Safety F. F. Morris and public health committee of the Chamber of Commerce.

The document covers 320 pages of typewritten matter and contains a review of the entire health situation in the city, the general comment on the investigation being that the report on the whole is a credit to the city. The investigation was delayed, it was pointed out, by various epidemics of communicable diseases and changes of the personnel of the state department.

Dismissal of the indictments was ordered over the protest of Attorney Maxwell McNutt, representing Mooney, who desired he still appear in his defense again to have his rights protected.

The indictments charging Mooney before Superior Judge Franklin Griffin in the same court are pending against Mooney, State, Miss Mooney and two against Warren E. Burch.

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**THE APEX ELECTRIC WASHER AND WRINGER**

It will do your wash for you with the help of an electric motor. It is made of the best materials and is the most convenient and easiest to use. It is a great time-saver and will save you money.

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**The Oakland Bank of Savings**

**Dividend Notice**

For the six months ending December 31, 1919, a dividend was declared of 3 1/2 per cent per annum on savings accounts, payable on and after January 1, 1920. Dividends not called for are added to and bear interest at the rate of interest on the principal.

Deposits can be withdrawn at any time, but with interest from the first of that month.

**W. H. MORSE, Trustee**

**Headache and Dizziness**

No physician can be found in the city who can give you a better guarantee of a cure for headache and dizziness than the Dr. W. H. Morse, who has been in practice for many years.

A trial will convince you.

**Y. L. Chan Co.**

Wonderful Chinese Herbs

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## Vocational Training Experts In Convention Differ Over Qualifications for Teachers

Vocation teacher trainers of the Pacific coast states are themselves going to school today at the Hotel Oakland, endeavoring to arrive at some general conclusions as to who should be vocation teachers and how the subjects should be taught.

The men at the head of the conference are Charles R. Allen, special agent of the federal board for vocational education, from Washington, and B. W. Johnson, agent of the board for the Pacific region, San Francisco; and there are fifteen specialists in the subjects in attendance from the western states.

It was said that to make a teacher out of a practical man he must be taught the mathematics and the science of his trade, plus teaching methods. By the score of 15 to 10, it was decided, is meant, for instance in the case of the lathe, that the stock of materials used, and the like, its production, composition and uses, matters generally known to the lathe man of intelligence without his conscious knowledge.

Given that the teacher must be taught, it was decided, with his mastery of the tool, the practical lathe man would be best qualified to teach the operation of the lathe, and practical shop men will be drafted in increasing numbers to teach their trades.

**HYBRID SCHOOLS OPPOSED**

The opinion was expressed by Special Agent Allen that the technical high school is, generally, a hybrid institution, functioning neither as a good general high school nor a first-class vocational school. He said that such institutions will be ultimately crowded out, probably, by regularly organized and administered vocational schools. Especially this condition prevails in the New England states, he said. He gave no opinion as to the Oakland Technical high school.

After the general discussion, occupying an hour or so each day, the convention takes up the special subject of training the teachers in teaching methods, and opinion on the subject is interchanged.

Those attending the convention are:

John C. Bestwick, State Supervisor of Trades and Industries, Sacramento; George W. Galbraith, teacher-trainer, trades and industries, University of California, Los Angeles; Charles W. Jacobs, teacher-trainer, trades and industries, University of California, Oakland; Carter Noyes Van Dolsen, State Director, Vocational Education and State Supervisor of Trades and Industries, Salem, Oregon; George N. Jensen, teacher-trainer, trades and industries, University of Washington; Homer C. Derr, State Director and Supervisor of Agriculture, Reno, Nevada; H. H. Bliss, State Supervisor, Trades and Industries, Reno; George W. Mark, State Director, Vocational Education, Salt Lake, Utah; L. C. Cowis, Professor of Vocational Education, University of Utah; J. T. Ryan, State Supervisor of Trades and Industries, Phoenix, Arizona; M. C. Lewis, State Director, Vocational Education, Boise, Idaho; S. E. Hutton, teacher of trades and industries, Boise; A. C. Gough, trades and industries instructor, Boise, Idaho; Dr. Robert J. Leonard, Professor of Vocational Education, University of California, and F. H. Sheets, Superintendent of Vocational Training, Idaho.

**DISCUSSION UNDER WAY**

As to whether the technically trained man with a supplementary shop experience is better qualified than the one trained in a technical school, fortified with a supplementary shop experience is better equipped to attain the ideal of the federal vocational board.

Special Agent Allen expressed the view that as a general proposition the technical teacher is incapable of teaching, first, because he doesn't have a short training as a consequence of which he teaches over the heads of his pupils and second because he has a supreme contempt for his class. He illustrated his first criticism with an incident of a teacher of carpentry who was discovered requiring his pupils to figure out for a carpenter job to the fourth decimal place, an impractical method.

On the other hand he said it was admitted that a practical carpenter could not teach successfully because while he knows the mathematics and the science of the trade he does not realize that he knows it and lacks the teaching training that would enable him to impart his knowledge to his pupils.

**DISCUSSION UNDER WAY**

As to whether the technically trained man with a supplementary shop experience is better qualified than the one trained in a technical school, fortified with a supplementary technical training is the better qualified, discussion is being held. It appears to be the prevailing opinion that the latter is better qualified and upon that theory the administration of the

## STREET WORK PLANS CAUSE COUNCIL TILT

An effort by Commissioner of Streets Baccus to secure co-operation from the Council for the preparation of a definite program of street and drainage construction the next few months had a stormy and voyage today.

Immediately after the communication from Baccus pointing out the necessity for the formulation of a definite program of street work, a tilt was precipitated between Baccus and the Council members, consisting of Commissioners Edwards, Soderberg and Morse over a new street project.

**PROJECT IS BLOCKED**

A resolution directing City Engineer Campbell to prepare plans and specifications, and a resolution of intent for the construction of concrete curbs and gutters in Third Avenue, between East Fourth and East Twelfth Streets, was blocked by the Council opposition and laid on the table over the votes of Commissioners Edwards and Morse.

**WEIR ACCUSED IN ARMY 'FRAME-UP'**

Announcement was made today of the approaching marriage of Miss Helen Grover, 2640 Parker street, Berkeley, and Walter J. Burpee of the same city, whose engagement was announced on New Year's day. The ceremony will take place in the latter part of the coming month at the home of the bride-elect and her sister, Miss Harriet Grover.

Miss Grover is a graduate of the University of California with the class of 1906. She was formerly associated with the State Board of Charities and Corrections.

Burpee, who is a younger brother of the late L. G. Burpee, formerly vice-president of the First National Bank of this city, is also a graduate of the University of California, with the class of 1905, and is a member of the law firm of Breed and Burpee. For many years he was chief deputy in the district attorney's office in the city. Burpee was chairman of local Committee No. 2 of Berkeley and later entered the service as a student in the field artillery officers' training camp at Camp Taylor, Kentucky.

**LOS ANGELES**

Los Angeles, Jan. 6.—The District Court of Appeals has thrown the film stars of their temperaments and, what's immeasurably worse, ruled that directors may take a star out of the dramatic firmament and cast her in the part of a mob.

The decision was made in the appeal by the New York Motion Picture Company from a \$2100 judgment against the recent "stars" attacked several picture photographers engaged in "filming" the prisoners. The women

knocked the machines over and fought with guards who attempted to restrain them. It took the guards several minutes to restore order.

**TRAVELERS WILL GIVE "HARD TIMES" DANCE**

If you have good clothes, prepare to wear them not. That is the injunction of the United Commercial Travelers, who will give a "hard times" dance Friday evening at Hotel May, 1920. Every person is urged to come in old clothes, rags, patches and the like. Anyone wearing "glad rags" will be fined.

**WASHINGON, Jan. 6.—Captain A.**

Hatch of Clovis was nominated today by President Wilson to be internal revenue collector for the dis-

trict of New Mexico.

**ON ACCOUNT OF ADVANCING PRICES**

on all new goods and garment makers to receive another big wage raise, our drastic reductions may be discontinued any day. So don't PROCRASTINATE.

**FURS**

Were \$25.00 to \$350.00

Now \$15 to \$265.00

Many exclusive models; Velvets, Velours, Tricotines, Serges, Silvertones, Mixtures.

**DRESSES**

Were \$30.00 to \$350.00

Now \$20 to \$175.00

Average reductions  $\frac{1}{4}$  to  $\frac{1}{2}$  off on Serges, Jerseys, Tricotines, Velvets, Satins, etc., and dancing Frocks. Evening Gowns  $\frac{1}{2}$  off.

**IN BUSINESS ONLY FOUR MONTHS**

We therefore have no old accumulations to get rid of; every garment is "spic and span" and from New York's best makers.

The well dressed woman concedes Ormsby's superiority for quality, cleverness of style and exclusiveness.

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## SCHOOL BOARD OPENS WAY FOR COURT TEST

The Board of Education last on record as approving his suggestion opened the way to a test case in the courts of the claim made by the board against the Board of Supervisors, in behalf of the Oakland School District, for reimbursement of losses alleged to have been sustained by the district through the withdrawal for State purposes of tax-exemption on properties.

The recent decision of City Attorney Floyd Gray, declaring that the action of the Board of Supervisors in refusing the demand of the board for reimbursement was the final word in the issue, was read to the board last night and the entire matter was referred to President Floyd Gray for whatever action is necessary.

The necessity of a reply to a letter received a week ago from District Attorney Fred A. Detocet, demanding a test case and suggesting that the board secure its own attorneys to proceed with the case, resulted in Secretary Lloyd D. Barzee being instructed to draft a reply to Detocet thanking him and putting the Board of

Attorney C. E. Snook and Attorney Roscoe D. Jones during which plans were discussed for a court fight of the issue. Another conference will be held this week. Gray declared when a decision will be reached as to what course will be pursued.

The case will certainly be carried to the courts, Gray said, and it is pretty safe to assume that the Board of Education will be a party in the suit. The case will be handled by Attorneys Roscoe D. Jones, Robert M. Fitzgerald and C. E. Snook.

The advisability of having the suit

initiated by an individual taxpayer

was discussed in yesterday's conference, according to Gray, and will be further taken up at the next conference between the board heads and their counsel.

President Gray declared that the reimbursement sought, amounting to about \$170,000, would mean a saving of 12 cents on the \$100 valuation to Oakland taxpayers next year. Gray called attention to the fact that while the Board of Supervisors last September fixed the sum of \$20,000 as the loss sustained by road districts through the withdrawal of operative properties taxation, the board has now reversed itself by calling for a final figure just announced by the Bureau of Taxation.

At the point of percentage this state, with 38 per cent, leads all other states.

Washington and Arkansas each showed 32 per cent point.

Oregon's showing was 91 per cent.

California Leads in Apple Production

California's 1919 commercial apple crop totalled 1,333,000 boxes, according to the final figures just announced by the Bureau of Taxation.

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Following last night's meeting of the board President Gray stated that a conference had been held during the day between himself, Superintendents of Schools Fred M. Hunter,

and Secretary Lloyd D. Barzee being instructed to draft a reply to Detocet thanking him and putting the Board of

## CRUSADE ON PROFITEERS BEGINS NOW

The Federal government is prepared to begin its crusade against profiteering by dealers throughout the bay region and the northern section of the state, it was officially announced in San Francisco this afternoon by John H. Atwood, special assistant to the U. S. Attorney General. Atwood will address the Housewives League of Oakland this evening.

At the conclusion of the session

the board adopted a motion introduced by Director E. A. Young declining the subject closed and filing the report of Secretary Lloyd D. Barzee on a long list of alleged irregularities brought to the attention of the board by President Floyd Gray, many of which were substantiated in the report.

HEATED DEBATE OPENED.

At the opening of the meeting Director Fred A. Campbell asked for the adoption of a resolution demanding from certain department employees the return of all over

time. Gray replied that the men

were being paid on a per diem basis

and that the demand was

irregular.

At the conclusion of the meeting

Campbell defended himself

by saying that he was

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Board, whose appeal from the

board's order suspending him under

Campbell's charges is to be heard

before the Civil Service Board on

January 20.

RESOLUTION LOST.

Campbell's resolution was put to a

vote and lost. Director Young

then submitted his proposal to de-

clare the matter closed and file the

Barzee report without further dis-

cussion.

Declaring that it had been proven

## BOARD OF EDUCATION CLOSES CONTROVERSY

The final chapter in the long history of the investigation into alleged irregularities in the management of the School Department, that started several months ago with the dismissal of all employees of the department who had been guilty of taking money illegally and in violation of the department rules. The motion was seconded by President Gray with the statement that the dismissal of the employees would throw the entire case from the school board to the civil service board.

CHAIR SUSTAINED.

When Director J. Lorcan Pease, who occupied the chair during the session, declared the motion out of order an appeal from his decision was taken by Director Campbell and the decision of Director Pease was sustained.

Young's original motion was then put to a vote and passed over the opposition vote of Director Campbell.

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EXTRADITION GRANTED.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 6.—Governor William F. Steinert today honored the application from Texas for return

to Fort Worth of E. J. Ward and

John Gerber, charged with oil

and bond dealing. Ward and Gerber are

in arrest in San Bernardino.

Theodore Roosevelt, at 42 years of

age, was the youngest president.

## RAIL CHIEFS AND COMPERS AT ODDS

By MILDRED MORRIS,  
International News Service Staff  
Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Relations between Samuel Gompers and chiefs of the four big railroad brotherhoods are strained to a breaking point. Labor circles are expecting an open rupture after the pending railroad legislation is out of the way.

It is no longer a secret that Warren S. Stone, chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, remained away from Gompers' conference of railroad union heads last week.

All four of the brotherhood chiefs are men of personality as strong as Gompers. The heads of railroad unions affiliated with the federation have stood with them on several occasions in opposition to Gompers.

Some labor leaders attach significance to the war between Gompers and Stone as the outcome, they say, must have bearing on the future status of the American Federation of Labor in the labor movement.

Next to Gompers, Stone is acknowledged to be the most dominant figure in the American labor movement today.

Friction between the two leaders began with Gompers' refusal to endorse the Plumb plan. Stone is president of the Plumb Plan League.

### He's Real!

He registers joy, sorrow, pleasure and anger and all the other human emotions just as they are registered by the fellow who washes the dishes at home or by the chap who brings the born buns every Saturday night.

Who? Will Rogers!

He isn't fancy; he hasn't got big blue eyes and a baby stare. He hasn't got curly hair or Cupid bow lips. He's a regular feller! He's an honest-to-goodness, down-to-earth human being.

That's why you just can't help lovin' him. That's why you'll want to see "Innilo," the story of a hobo who stumbles into the strange land of Work and Romance.

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Different!



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### SMILES!



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John Wharry Lewis and his Orchestra.  
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This new book—replete with valuable information—has just been published by the Trust Department of this Bank.

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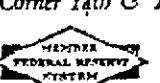
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TUESDAY, JANUARY 6, 1920.

## FOREIGN LOANS.

A nation-wide effort has been made during the last week to disturb the public's peace of mind by allegations that the European nations are seeking tremendous loans from the government of the United States; that in one instance the government has pledged the representatives of Great Britain to support the proposal of a loan by the United States of \$13,500,000,000, and in picturing dire calamities certain to result from this alleged project.

Nothing has been offered in confirmation of this story and, on the contrary, the British government has officially denied that it is seeking a large loan from the American government. The agitation has all the appearance of being a part of the campaign to stir up international distrust and hatred and of defeating the ratification of the peace treaty.

It is not at all likely that the United States government will make or attempt to make another large loan to European nations. Loans and credits may be provided through private American business and financial circles to European purchasers of American goods. But the day when the government will participate in the loan of vast sums of money raised by taxation has passed.

However, it is quite probable that there may be discussion in the immediate future of a loan to European governments of some \$13,500,000,000, but this will not entail the actual transfer of American money to European hands.

The European Allies already owe the United States nearly \$10,000,000,000 for money advanced as war credits during the period of hostilities and are immediately following. The accrued interest on these credits, payment of which has been deferred

by arrangement with the United States, amounts to about \$1,500,000,000. The Allies would like to make arrangements for deferring interest payment three or four more years, until they get danger of being quizzed as to their stand on through the most difficult period of buying some of the questions now before the country. It is becoming manifest that some of the can make arrangements for deferring interest payment may be at a disadvantage. They are not likely to be lifted between now and January 16, and on that date the water-wagon, joining company with a large portion of American literature and art and all the leather-bound copies of Omar Khayyam, will enter the ranks of lamented dreck.

The fact that a minority of the Supreme Court agree with them is small consolation for the poor Indian.

Speculation is however unprofitable. Only ten

more days remain until constitutional prohibition

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MEXICO CITY, Jan. 6.—Floods have followed the earthquakes in Eastern Mexico, causing many fatalities. The town of San Francisco, in the State of Vera Cruz, was especially severe, wiping out many villages. Finconada, between the City of Vera Cruz and Jalapa, was completely submerged. Twenty-five bodies have been recovered there and the water is dotted with many more corpses.

Official reports that began to trickle in today from the devastated area show that the damage and loss of life were more extensive than originally supposed.

The subterranean upheaval caused

## Girl Who Shot Father Faces Trial For Killing Stepfather

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 6.—Saved tempted to attack her in the absence of her mother.

Miss Broderick came into the limelight in 1916 when she faced a coroner's jury investigating the death of her father, Thomas P. Broderick, 51. The coroner's jury exonerated her on testimony that she had shot and killed her father in defense of her mother. Her age was given as 15.

The case was ordered transferred from the criminal division of the circuit court by Circuit Judge Taylor yesterday when the prosecution endeavored unsuccessfully to prove that she had reached the age required for trial in the Circuit Court. It came up in the Juvenile Court and the sentence cannot exceed confinement in a state reformatory until she reaches the age of 18.

**FIVE HURT IN WRECK**  
DES MOINES, Ia., Jan. 6.—Four men and one woman were injured when a Ford Model T car collided with a Seavastop car today. A score or more passengers were severely shaken up. All of the injured are expected to recover.

Five hours and hundreds of sailors

are searching the ruins of damaged

cuties for dead and injured.

Much suffering has been caused in the City of Vera Cruz by scarcity of drinking water. The water mains

were broken at many places by the

earth undulations.

## DRY LAW TRIMS HOSPITAL CASES

Figures supplied by Steward Frank Davison of the Emergency Hospital show that 470 less cases were handled since the dry law went into effect on July 1 than for the previous six months. In all a total of 5512 emergency cases were taken care of during the first six months of last year, totaled 3341, and for the last six months of the year 3071 cases were attended to.

Great variety is shown by the hospital records of the cases attended to, ranging from a workman's pedestrian's getting a speck of dirt in the eye to suicides, persons shot or others severely injured in automobile or train accidents.

The hospital staff includes Dr. O. D. Hamlin in charge, Dr. W. H. Irwin, Dr. George G. Reuble, Dr. C. H. Gold, Dr. A. C. Smith, stewards, Harold E. Richard, Frank Davison and Charles Emley, nurses, Miss Margaret Clark and Winifred Vaughan. Mrs. Maud Hughes is housekeeper.

## "FARMER FRED" WANTED BY NO, NOT POLICE

Where are you, "Farmer Fred"? Why didn't you show up for that big Christmas dinner with all sorts of "hams" and presents, that your mother and grandmother prepared for you?"

That's what they want to know. A letter to the TRIBUNE today brings to light a belated sob story of Christmas time. The message to "Farmer Fred" never was vital to him, however, according to the mother, Mrs. Nellie Todd of Ingleside, Los Angeles county.

She writes that the grandmother

was to the greater pains to prepare

that "nice Christmas."

They watched the walk in front of the house.

But "Farmer Fred" didn't come.

The grandmother had a serious breakdown.

The mother writes that she is very ill. Only the presence of the boy, known as "Farmer Fred" can save her.

She says that "Farmer Fred" has not always been on his best behavior and just now he's on probation that doesn't make any difference to the mother and grandmother, though, and Mrs. Todd assures the boy that the probation officer will permit him to get a "job" if he returns home.

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## SISTERS, 6 AND 8, DISAPPEAR

The police are unable to account for the disappearance of little Maria Fassnacht, 6 years old, and her 3 year-old sister, Katherine, who left their home at 1471 Seventh street yesterday morning to go to St. Mary's School. They have not been seen since.

Upon their failure to return home at the accustomed hour their parents called the school and were informed that the two girls had been absent all day. The parents were notified.

Both parents and the police

are investigating the disappearance.

Neither the police or the girls' parents are able to advance a theory for their disappearance.

## Lions' Den Will Hold Luncheon

Oakland Den, International Association of Lions' Clubs will hold its first luncheon of the new year in the Hotel Oakland tomorrow. The usual program of entertainment will be provided. On Wednesday of next week the annual election meeting will be held. The annual election will take place at that time. In addition to a president and vice-president, three new directors will be named for the coming terms.

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### Rare Values in Linens

Cloths, 2 by 2 yards, all pure Irish linen, **\$7.50**.

Cloths, 2 by 2 yards, all pure Irish linen, circular patterns, **\$8.50**.

Cloths, 2 by 2 yards, all pure Irish linen, heavy weight, circular patterns, **\$10.50**.

Cloths, 2 by 2 yards, all pure Irish linen, extra heavy double damask, circular designs, **\$12.50**.

Cloths, 2 by 2½ yards, all pure Irish linen, **\$10.00**.

Cloths, 2 by 2½ yards, all pure Irish linen, circular designs, **\$11.00**.

Cloths, 2 and 2½ yards, extra heavy double damask, circular designs, **\$15.00**.

Cloths, 2 by 3 yards, all pure Irish linen, good weight, **\$12.00**.

Cloths, 2 by 3 yards, Brown's Shamrock linen, **\$15.00**.

Napkins, 20 by 20 inches, all pure Irish linen. Spot pattern only, **\$8.50** the dozen.

Napkins, 20 by 20 inches, all pure Irish linen, heavy weight, **\$10.00** the dozen.

Napkins, 22 by 22 inches, all pure Irish linen, extra heavy, **\$12.50** the dozen.

Napkins, 24 by 24 inches, all pure Irish linen, extra heavy, **\$13.50** the dozen.

Napkins, 22 by 22 inches, all pure Irish linen, fine double damask, **\$16.50** the dozen.

Mercerized Cloths, 54 by 54 inches, full bleach, hemmed ready for use, Spot, Fleur de Lys and Stripe patterns, **\$2.00** each.

Mercerized Cloths, 63 by 63 inches, full bleached, hemmed, same designs as above, **\$3.00**.

Mercerized Cloth, 2 by 2 yards, full bleached, hemmed, **\$3.75**.

Napkins, 22 by 22 inch, to match the above, hemmed, **\$4.00** the dozen.

Mercerized Cloths, 2 by 2 yards, imported, circular designs, **\$5.00**.

Napkins, 24 by 24 inches, imported, to match the above, above, **\$6.00** the dozen.

Table Damask, 72 inches wide, all pure Irish linen, cream white, Poppy or Rose patterns, **\$3.50** the yard.

Guest Towels, 15 by 24 inches, all pure Irish linen, hemstitched, **50c**.

Guest Towels, all pure Irish linen, Fleur de Lys pattern, **1.00**.

Glass Toweling, 17 inches wide, red or blue checked, good grade, **15c** the yard.

Knitted Dish Cloths, two sizes, small 3 for 25c, large 2 for 25c.

Breakfast or Luncheon Sets, consisting of one 54 by 54 inch cloth, hemstitched; six 15 by 15-inch napkins, hemstitched; in colors of blue, lavender, green, red or yellow, **\$3.50** the set.

Luncheon Cloths, imported mercerized cotton, with woven blue borders, are sold as follows: 45 by 45 inches, **\$3.75**; 54 by 54 inches, **\$5.00**; 63 by 63 inches, **\$6.75**.

### Millinery Reductions

#### of Tremendous Importance

The following represents lines, carefully selected, of splendid style, and of wonderful workmanship and artistry, reduced to the attractive figures mentioned:

\$10.50 Hats are NOW.....\$4.45  
\$12.50 Hats are NOW.....\$7.50  
\$15.00 Hats are NOW.....\$8.75

### A Notable Corset Event

#### One-Half Off

On the following lines of corsets, which represent lines slightly soiled in handling and broken size lines.

Madame Lyra Warner  
La Camille Bien Jolie American Lady

These Corsets sold formerly at \$2.50 to \$5.00

#### One-Quarter Off

On the following lines, which represent discontinued numbers. There is a GOOD run of sizes in these. They may be had in Coutil or Broche, and in either white or flesh. These sold formerly at prices from \$5.00 to \$12.50.

Madame Lyra Warner  
La Camille American Lady  
Bien Jolie

—Corset Section, Second Floor

### Baby Day

#### Wednesdays Throughout the Year

This week the attractions are quite varied and should prove wonderfully appealing. If you have not visited our Baby Section we would appreciate ONE visit—just to establish you as one of our REGULAR Baby Section customers.

Hand-embroidered baby dresses are sold at

**\$1.25, \$2.25, \$2.75, \$3.50 and \$4.00.** (Six months, 1 and 2 year sizes.)

Hand-embroidered skirts and Gertrudes are sold at

**\$2.50, \$2.95, \$3.50 and \$4.00.**

White flannel baby skirts are sold at **\$2.50,**

**\$2.95, \$3.50 and \$4.00.**

Turkish bath aprons are sold at **\$1.25.**

Turkish bibs are sold at **20c, 25c and 35c.**

Turkish bath sets are sold at **95c, \$1.25 and \$1.95.**

—Baby Section, Second Floor.

### Bedding Values

#### Spreads:

White crochet, 81 by 90, heavy quality, **\$3.25, \$3.50 and \$4.00.**

White crinkle, 81 by 90, night spread, **\$3.75.**

White Marseilles, 72 by 98, heavy quality, **\$8.00.**

White Marseilles, 88 by 98, heavy quality, **\$9.00.**

SPECIAL—A fine satin finished spread, double bed sized, extra heavy, is offered at **\$7.25.**

SHEETS, SHEETING and PILLOW CASES, both plain or hemstitched, in Pequot and Wamsutta brands, are offered in a full line of sizes at economy prices.

SPECIAL—MUSLIN, 36 inches wide, soft finished for underwear and the like, is MUCH UNDERPRICED AT 30 Cents the yard.

WATCH WEDNESDAY'S PAPERS FOR FURTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### Blankets:

These are offered with blue or pink borders:

White mixed wool, 60 by 80, **\$9.00.**

White mixed wool, 66 by 80, **\$8.00.**

White all wool, 72 by 84, **\$19.50.**

White wool filled, 72 by 84, **\$17.50.**

Pure Lamb's wool blankets, range in price from

**\$32.50 to \$40.00.**

White wool filled, 60 by 84, **\$16.50.**

—Bedding Section, First Floor.

### Favorite Resorts

are the "Superior" Coffee-rooms at Twentieth street, Grove and San Pablo and 821 Broadway where good coffee and

# BABE RUTH WILL DEMAND PART OF PURCHASE PRICE

## THIRTY-TWO TEAMS ENROLL IN FOUR DIVISIONS OF TRIBUNE AMATEUR BASKETBALL LEAGUE

### P. A. A. BOGEY MAN HAUNTING PLAYERS IN BASKET LEAGUE

Everybody Must Have an Amateur Card, or They Can't Play in P.A.A. Back Yard

By EDDIE MURPHY

Thirty-two teams were officially taken into The OAKLAND TRIBUNE Basketball League at a meeting held last night in the assembly room in The TRIBUNE building. Every member of the league will be required to show his P. A. A. card before he can participate in a game. It is the intention of most of the teams entered in the league to participate in the games of the P. A. A. tourney, and should any player lack a P. A. A. card and be professionalized by the P. A. A., those playing against him would also lose their amateur standing. A couple of hours were spent in discussing whether or not the players would have to be registered with the P. A. A. and the result was that the league heads had no time to arrange the schedule of games.

Russell (Babe) Ruth, the tall heaver of the Oakland Coast League club, was the cause of the argument over amateur registration. After playing with the St. Joseph Athletic club unlimited quintet and the chances are that team will have to get along without him, without knowing if their players would have to have P. A. A. cards, as there was no one who seemed to know who the players of that might be if he played against a professional. Some managers were in favor of the P. A. A. registration, while others were against it, and there has been a waste of time to vote for either, as a split would have been caused, but after the manager had gathered the rest of the managers, it was decided that the TRIBUNE Basketball League would have to be run on a strictly amateur basis in the best interest of participation in the P. A. A. games. After talk with Hanner the officers, including President Billy Hollander, Secretary Chester Grimm and Frank McClellan, it was decided that they will notify the players at the next special meeting to get P. A. A. registration cards. Players Should Get Busy

And Register With P.A.A. Some of the best amateur basketball players on the Coast are to play in the TRIBUNE. It will be tough for them to be classed as professionals because they played against one. So it is advisable for those who have not already, to get their amateur card, as amateur application blanks can be secured from the springing department of The TRIBUNE. The league officials are to be in touch with the managers of the various teams that are in the league, gathering in on the P. A. A. tourney for they feel that some division championship can be won for them on an amateur basis, any of the teams belonging to the Oakland and Berkeley Y. M. C. A. as well as other organizations would not remain in the league if they were to participate in the P. A. A. games. After talk with Hanner the officers, including President Chester Grimm and Frank McClellan, it was decided that they will notify the players at the next special meeting to get P. A. A. registration cards.

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"I saw Huggins late yesterday and he outlined the proposition to me, and I to him," said Ruth today. "I told him frankly that I thought I was entitled to part of the cut, which I understand was \$120,000. After considerable conversation we entered into a verbal agreement on certain things. What these are I cannot yet say.

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NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—The most popular indoor sport in New York today was guessing how much the New York Americans paid for George (Babe) Ruth, the home-run monarch. The nearest approach to anything of an official nature was the smiling admission of Colonel Jacob Ruppert, the Yankees' president, that he understood an offer of \$100,000 for Ruth was refused last summer by Harry Frazee of the Boston Club. Sporting writers estimated the price paid from \$125,000 to \$150,000.

Followers of the national pastime realized that it was not unusual for Ruth to be worth that much, and that the market for the world's greatest baseball player was bound to be high. Even players will be required to weigh in at a given place and date, which will be made known in the next day or two. Any player with a team will be eligible and will not be eligible to play with his team, so managers should take warning and see that the weights of their players are not misrepresented on the contracts.

Plenty Courts Available For Playing of Games

The committee which has been working on the securing of courts for the playing of the games announced that the new buildings will not be trouble in giving the teams playing room. For E. H. Nash, A. C. Glenn of the recreation department, and Frank Speer, chairman of the school and high school team, the committee and certain are showing great interest in the league by the way they have rustled around for

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